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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated September 23, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2-8 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1. (Amended) A polyether polyurethane comprising:
- (A) at least one polyisocyanate having two or more isocyanate groups, which is selected from the group consisting of an aromatic polyisocyanate and an aliphatic polyisocyanate;
  - (B) a polyoxytetramethylene glycol (PTMG); and

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